

TEACHERS' MEET
IS BIGGEST EVERCROWD PACKS AND OVERFLOWS
HUGE AUDITORIUM.

ROOM SHORTAGE IS MET

Last Minute Responses Enable Commit-
tee to Care for All Visitors—
Bishop Stuntz Tonight.Tonight's Program, 8 o'clock.
Community singing, led by Prof. Chas.
R. Gardner.Address—Bishop Homer C. Stuntz of
Omaha.

Maryville is entertaining more school teachers today than ever before in her history. The attendance at the lecture this afternoon was estimated at not less than a thousand visitors and three hundred students. The College auditorium, seating one thousand, was filled early. Chairs were placed in the aisles and these also were filled and many left standing in the corridors.

The housing committee is hopeful that the threatened shortage of rooms has been avoided. Large numbers of the visiting teachers had already made arrangements for rooms before arriving in Maryville, enabling the committee to assign others to the rooms listed with them.

Incoming trains have been packed and jammed with teachers. Taxi drivers said the crowd which came on the noon Burlington train today was greater than at any other convention.

Early this afternoon between 700 and 800 had registered at the college. Registration is still proceeding under direction of Prof. H. A. Miller, Miss Kathryn Franken, Miss Anna M. Painter and Prof. M. W. Wilson.

The association opened its sessions this morning with music under the direction of Mr. Gardner. Three patriotic songs were sung with fervor and enthusiasm and then the pep of the student body was displayed by their singing of the pep song, "Whoop Her Up."

Mr. Annett rendered a selection from Verdi's "Rigoletto," which was appreciated very much by everyone present.

Invocation was given by the Rev. Joseph Cooper of the Maryville Baptist church.

Myrtle McPherson, president of the association welcomed the teachers and told of the effort which was made to secure the strong program for this meeting. Mr. Hawkins furthered the remarks by saying that the committee canvassed the territory from Boston to Lower California and from Mexico to Canada and received twenty-four refusals before the program was completed.

Dr. Fannie W. Dunn of the department of rural education of the Teachers College in New York City, gave the opening address of the convention. Her subject was, "The Question of the Rural School and America's Future." Her address "went home" to the visiting teachers, 90 per cent of whom are from rural districts.

"Thirteen generations have passed since the discovery of America and today she is the leading and foremost country of the world in wealth, population, exports and education," said Dr. Dunn. "The world has left every country in the world prostrated and stripped of wealth, resources and men. When we turn to history we find all the leading countries—Egypt, Greece and Rome—fell; shall America likewise fall? Or will our form of government thrive and succeed as is expected? Is there a defeat which would cause its fall? Yes, and that defeat of Democracy is the rural school."

"We define Democracy as 'Freedom for all and Equality of Opportunity,' but there is no freedom of Ignorance."

"Several years ago a survey was made of the states, and Missouri was placed 32nd among them. Missouri does not stand; Missouri goes forward. Missouri, however, must run fast to keep 32nd place, although Missouri's university ranks fifth and the schools of St. Louis and Kansas City have no superior. It is these schools that keep the state in 32nd place and it is the rural school that keeps it from gaining, although 50 per cent of the school children are in rural school, only 25 per cent of our school money is spent on them."

"The rural school leads in retardation and illiteracy. In 1917 and 1918 the city schools averaged nine months and two days of school and the rural schools averaged seven months and four days. What child can get an adequate education in seven months and four days? The rural schools are in session

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ORDER TAKES AWAY LAST
HOPE OF HOME BREWERSProhibition Officers to Stop Sale of All
Materials Used in Liquor
Manufacture

Washington, Oct. 13.—An official order went out from Washington today to all prohibition enforcement officials to stop the sales of materials from which home brew is made. State prohibition directors and their agents throughout the country were directed to raid the business concerns that dealt in articles for the making of home brew, such as malt, hops, fruit, sugars and bottling appliances.

JACKSON IN ST. JOE
ON MORNING OF 28THPOLICE RECORDS OF ST JOSEPH
WAS USED IN CASE

SOLOMON SAYS TOOK CAR

Sam Fine Testified He Purchased
Pony from Jackson about 6 o'clock
Oct. 28

Ernest Jackson, who is charged with the stealing of the John R. Hubbell car at Barnard on July 28 and is on trial today, was arrested in St. Joseph on the night of July 27 and was in the police station for about two hours that night, and later appeared in police court on the next morning at 10 o'clock when his case was continued until the following Monday. This much was admitted by the state in the trial of the case this morning. The defense was unable to produce the records but an investigation by the prosecuting attorney revealed that it was accurate.

State witnesses from Barnard testified about seeing Jackson at Barnard on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 26, 27 and 28.

William Solomon, who is charged with stealing the Hubbell car, testified this afternoon that he stole the Hubbell car and that Jackson had nothing to do with it. Solomon's testimony was practically the same as he gave during the trial of Jess Anderson, who received a five-year sentence at the hands of the jury.

Solomon is scheduled to be tried in court tomorrow. It is said he will make a plea of guilty.

The defense produced alibi testimony showing that Jackson was in St. Joseph between 5 and 7 o'clock of the same evening the car was stolen from Barnard. Woodford Hawk and wife of St. Joseph also testified that Jackson was at their home about 8 o'clock that same evening.

Sam Fine of St. Joseph testified that he purchased a pony from Jackson about six o'clock in the evening of July 28, being the same night the Hubbell car was stolen. Fine said Jackson told him he needed money as he had been arrested for running a car without lights.

The case will probably go to the jury this evening.

Jackson's father of St. Joseph was in attendance in court this morning and was sitting next to his son.

Bert Garnet was arrested for gambling yesterday and appeared in circuit court and pleaded not guilty. Garnet was indicted by the grand jury.

LEWIS MAKES MOVE TO
END STRIKE IN KANSASGeorge Peck Is Placed in Charge of
District 14 to Take Howat's
Place

Pittsburg, Oct. 13.—John Lewis, president of the United Mine workers today made the first move to end the strike of twelve thousand Kansas coal miners. Orders were received from Lewis placing George Peck in charge of District 14, of which Alexander Howat, now serving a jail sentence for defying the Kansas Industrial Court, is president. Thomas Harvey was designated to take charge of the finances of the miners.

John Fleming, who has been in charge of the strike since Howat has been in jail, stated the Kansas miners would resist order.

IMPERIAL WIZARD DEFENDS
HONOR OF KU KLUX KLAN.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The honor of the Ku Klux Klan is unsullied by the financial dealings of the organization, William Simmons, imperial wizard, testified today before the house rules committee, which is considering resolutions for a congressional investigation of the Klan. He characterized the charges against the Klan as based on suspicion and prejudice and denied the Klansmen destroyed court records at Atlanta.

MANY ENJOY THE
WINDOW DISPLAYSBAND PLAYS WHILE CROWDS
GAZE ON FALL STYLES.

REMAIN REST OF WEEK

Visiting Teachers Also Inspect Fas-
hion's Latest Creations—No Band
Concert Tonight.

Many favorable comments were heard last night on the beautiful show windows revealed in the Annual Fall Opening of Maryville merchants. They are proving a lure today to many of the visitors here for the teachers' meeting.

Admiring ah's and oh's greeted the windows of the Yehle Dry Goods Company, where a gorgeous color scheme was carried out with autumn leaves arranged into border and panel effect in the background.

The large west window was tactfully trimmed with the latest curtain laces and drapery fabrics, supported by the use of electric floor lamps and cedar chest. Next to this in the narrow section of the window was a display of toilet preparations, which attracted the attention of the fairer sex. The remainder of this section was devoted to the display of things for the tiny tots, supported by the use of the stork, the kewpie and real life like dolls.

The east window was also divided into three sections, the narrow section being devoted to the display of art goods and new fall fabrics. The large section featured the very latest creations in ladies' ready-to-wear apparel—coats, street and party dresses, suits, furs and accessories.

The island show windows were given over to the display of autumn millinery and footwear.

In the windows of the J. C. Penney Company, Haines, Remus and D. R. Eyersole and Son, were placed other smart and fashionable creations in gowns, suits, dresses, coats and accessories.

The Bailey-Commins Furniture Company displayed a walnut bedroom set, which matched well with the surrounding decorations.

The feature of the Price Furniture window was a White sewing machine, with a display of fancy embroidery and numerous articles made entirely by the use of the machine. This week is a special demonstration week for the White machine, and Miss Pauline Human, who is in charge of the demonstrations, will show the many different things that can be done with the machine that formerly had to be done by hand. To all children who bring prospective buyers a doll's apron will be given.

Montgomery-Cummins had a striking display of men's formal dress togs in one window, and in the other an unusual effect in the arrangement of fur coats, made from badger, wolf, horse, cowhide and wild cat skins.

In the Corwin-Murray window an automaton man garbed as a clown attracted the attention of the passersby, who were then held by the display of double and single breasted gray herringbone and checked suits. A picture of the Los Angeles Athletic Club basketball team, on which Homer Scott, a former Maryville boy, is guard, was interesting to sport followers.

The Maryville Drug Store featured a bean guessing contest. They had a large quantity of beans in an old fashioned display bottle. A \$5.00 gold Ever-sharp pencil is to be given to the winner.

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CRISIS IS REACHED IN SINN
FINN PEACE NEGOTIATIONSConference Will End Immediately
Unless Irish Envoys Consent to
Remain in Empire

London, Oct. 13.—The Irish peace conference adjourned at 1 o'clock today until 11 o'clock Friday, after Premier Lloyd George had brought things to crisis by raising the subject of whether the Sinn Fein envoys would consent to continue their deliberations of the basis of Ireland remaining as a part of the British empire.

If the Sinn Fein delegates reply negatively, the parley will end immediately. If they affirm, Lloyd George will propose the creation of small committees to discuss various phases of the Irish peace subject.

Michael Collins, member of the Irish delegation, was angry when he came out.

"We are not coming back," he snapped. Before he could say more Arthur Griffith, head of the Sinn Fein delegation broke in and said "We are coming back at 11 o'clock tomorrow."

UNEMPLOYED MARCH ON
LLOYD GEORGE'S RESIDENCEOutbreak Today Comes During Most
Spectacular Demonstration London
Has Known

London, Oct. 13.—Communists attempted a march on Premier Lloyd George's official residence this afternoon during the most spectacular unemployment demonstration London has ever known. Whitehall was in a virtual state of seige, as labor organizations had previously given notice that idle workers would march past the government buildings and send a deputation to the premier to demand relief.

BEARCATS READY
FOR OSTEOPATHSHAVE HAD WEEK OF STIFF
WORKOUTS.

HIGH SCHOOL VS TARKIO

Visiting Teachers Have Chance to
See Two High Class Football
Games Friday and Saturday

Still Osteopathic College of Des Moines will be the opponents of the State Teachers College Bearcats on the college field tomorrow. Extra preparations are being made at the college to win the game. The team has been having unusually hard workouts this week and under the supervision of Coach Sprong has developed several new plays which are counted on to be ground gainers. Practically the same line up will be used this week.

At a pep meeting at the college yesterday afternoon all of the school songs and yells were practiced and this morning at the opening session of the teachers meeting, Charles R. Gardner taught the visiting teachers some of the college songs.

The two defeats of the season have not diminished the pep and tight of the team and with the student body behind them they are going into the game tomorrow with more determination than ever before.

Probably the largest crowd of the year will witness the game tomorrow. Practically all of the student body has remained in Maryville for the game and with the visiting teachers and the people of Maryville who will attend, the crowd is expected to number in the thousands.

Lamke, of Moberly, who refereed the game with Graceland college last Friday will work the game tomorrow. The umpire will be John C. Mills of the University of Missouri and W. N. Deatherage will act as head linesman.

The local team will be slightly weakened on the ends of the line, as both Young and Steiger will not be in the game. Young was called to Trenton last week by the death of his father and Steiger sustained a broken nose in the Graceland game.

The Maryville High School team will play the Tarkio High School here Saturday. This is expected to be a fast game, as Tarkio has always been the jinx of the local high school. In the game last year Maryville had an unlucky day and although she won the game, members of the team fumbled the ball twenty three times. Tarkio has defeated Blanchard and Shenandoah, Ia., by large margins.

The game is called for 3 o'clock, and plans have been made for the high school students to sit in a body at the game.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
PLANS TO HOLD REVIVALIs Step in General Forward Movement
Urged By Dr. O. L. Curl At Meeting
Last Night

At the first of a series of monthly "get together" meetings at the First M. E. Church, held last evening Dr. O. L. Curl, the pastor of the church, offered a program for a general forward movement in the church. It was the unanimous sentiment that evangelistic meetings be held within the next few months and that the meetings be conducted by the pastor. Organization of the church into groups will be done at once.

The members in attendance at the meeting spoke of the need of a new church building. No plans will be made at the present time, but the congregation is looking forward to the time when the work will be started.

A Marriage license was issued today to John L. Rhode of Tabor, Ia., and Mildred Chantry of Sidney, Ia.

PRIZES AWARDED
ON POLAND-CHINASWAYNE SNOWDEN AND PAUL Mc-
DERMIT TAKE FIRST PLACES

LAST OF SALES TODAY

Duroc-Jerseys Bring Fair Average
Yesterday, With Higher Top
Than Day Before

Wayne Snowden won first on boars and Paul McDermit won first on gilts in the Poland-China section of the Boys and Girls pig club show held this morning.

Other prize winners were: Boars—Second, Merrill McGinness; third, Glen McGinness; fourth, Paul McDermit; fifth, Ernest Hartman; sixth, Marie Danner. Gilts—Second, Elizabeth M. Davis; third, Golda Danner; fourth, Glen McGinness; fifth, Ernest Hartman; sixth, J. Milan Shell.

The prizes in each class were: first, \$8; second, \$6; third, \$4; fourth, \$3; fifth, \$2; and sixth, \$2. The Poland-China Breed Promotion committee also offered special prizes to the winners.

The last sale of the series is being held this afternoon, the Poland-Chinas shown this morning going to the highest bidders.

The sales yesterday of the Duroc-Jerseys were:

Three boars owned by Homer Ogden sold to Joe Everhart for \$40, N. M. Fishel, 29; and Gay Ray, \$40.

Gilt, owned by Delbert Mutz sold to Harry Martin for \$25; boar owned by Delbert Mutz sold to John Neal for \$27. Three boars owned by Jacob Clements sold to Jake Clements for \$18, Owen Campbell for \$16 and Jake Clements for \$16.

Four gilts and two boars owned by Ellis Beasley sold three gilts to Merrill Epperson for \$15, 19 and \$20; gilt to R. M. Evans for \$17; a boar to W. G. Wilson for \$12.50; a boar to James Middleton for \$11.

Gilt and two boars owned by Marvin Epperson sold to Merrill Epperson for \$19, to Clarence Dowden for \$17 and to Job Williams for \$24.

Boars owned by George Epperson sold to Ed Goodpasture for \$19, to Forrest Masters for \$16 and to William Job for \$15.

Boars owned by R. E. Evans sold to Ed Bolin for \$15 and \$14.

Boar owned by Delbert Morton sold to Ed Bolin for \$20.

Two gilts and a boar owned by Clinton Beasley sold to Willis Parent for \$15 and \$16, and to George Crider for \$13.

Two boars owned by Allene Bolin sold to C. J. Killam for \$15 and to Rol Evans for \$14.

Boar owned by Kenneth Evans sold to J. R. Evans for \$12.

Two gilts and four boars owned by Cleithrus Busby sold to Willis Parent for \$13.50 and \$12.50, Douglas Hoshor for \$9.50 and \$9.50, Dale Wiley for \$15, J. H. Neat for \$10.

Boar to R. M. Evans for \$9.50; gilt to W. G. Wilson for \$21 and a gilt to Charles Epperson for \$18.

Total \$668; average on thirty-eight head \$17.34.

CORN SHOW BEGINS AT
STATE TEACHERS' COLLEGESupt. Bert Cooper Busy Arranging
Vitalized Agriculture and Home
Economic Exhibits

One of the busiest places at the State Teachers College this morning was the girl's gymnasium. This is where the annual domestic science and agriculture exhibit of Nodaway County will be held. Supt. Bert Cooper, assisted by Miss Iaez Moore and W. H. Burr, were busy this morning checking in the exhibits, and other assistants were tagging them, putting them in place and decorating the booths. Mr. Cooper says that everything will be in readiness in the morning, and not only the visiting teachers but the entire public is invited to come and inspect the exhibits. The awards will be probably be made and announced Saturday morning.

Sweet Potato Weighs Four Pounds

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Hills Gross have returned to their home after a week's visit at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Lewis King and family, four miles west of Stanberry. They brought back with them a sweet potato which measures seventeen and a half inches in circumference and weighs four pounds. It was grown on the Lewis farm, which is a half mile from the Nodaway County line.

COUNTY NURSE TREATS AGED
MAN WHO FELL FROM LOFTA. L. Shipley, 70 Years Old, Breaks
Three Ribs While Putting
Hay Near Skidmore

As Mrs. Eva Hackney, county Red Cross nurse, was passing the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wells, southeast of Skidmore, about 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, she was called into the house to give emergency treatment to A. L. Shipley, who had fallen from the barn loft just a few minutes before. The injured man, who is more than 70 years old, had fallen across a box stall and four ribs were broken. He was putting up hay in the barn, but at the time of his fall the other men were in the field. He got to the house unaided, but could not remember how he did it.

A doctor was called from Maryville, and Mr. Shipley is reported to be doing nicely. No internal injuries were found.

Mrs. Hackney gave first aid treatment before the doctor came, and remained for a short time to give instruction for moving the injured man to his home, which is about a quarter of a mile west of the Wells home.

FARMERS DEMAND
CHEAPER FREIGHTDELEGATES TO STATE CONVEN-
TION CHARGE DISCRIMINATION

VALUATION IS TOO HIGH

Farmers Pay Heavily While Other
Wealth Goes Untaxed, Says Report
—To Campaign for Members

At a business session of the state convention of the Farmers' Union, held this morning, it was decided to spend \$500 for a membership campaign. Field workers such as Milo Reno of Des Moines, state president of the Iowa Farmers Union; John Tremble of Beloit, Kan., and Charles H. Watts of Omaha have agreed to give two weeks' time each for the purpose of increasing the membership.

The membership campaign will be put on in Nodaway county, as well as other counties in this part of the state. Storage plants at St. Joseph and Omaha are expected to be built by the organization within the near future.

The report of legislative committee, composed of Charles Sutton, chairman, Joe Burk, Jonas B. Shields, James Rhodes and Carl C. Combs, was adopted by the convention. The reports follow:

"We find that the farmer has been neglected by our law making bodies, both state and national, from the beginning of our existence as a nation."

"We find that this is largely due to our own indifference and unorganized condition."

"We find freight rates 147 per cent higher than they were April 1, 1913, and our products more than 40 per cent lower than on the above date. We feel this an unjust discrimination against agriculture."

"We further find that the state board of equalization has raised our valuation to an unreasonable extent, while millions of tangible wealth goes untaxed. Therefore, we recommend that this convention of the F. U. and C. U. of America go on record as demanding legislation that will correct these evils, and that the man elected to represent each county be a real farmer insofar as it is possible."

The following accredited delegates registered at the Union session.

Mercer County—J. L. Snider, Carl C. Combs, D. D. Kendall, Clyde Raines, H. R. Spencer, Al Morin, Albert Owen, H. S. Wayman.

Jefferson County—E. H. Seemel, Felix Litzinger.

Cass County—M. F. Kites, R. A. Fauts, George Bessett, J. R. Cary, Fred Dell, M. W. Dickerson, T. M. Morris.

Dunklin County—Joe Burk, W. O. Vandiver.

Wayne County—Joseph Rhoades, E. W. Solomon.

Nodaway County—J. R. Shields, A. M. Warren, Frank Miller.

Geny County—G. D. Woodward.

Reynolds County—Charles Sutton.

Crawford County—James F. Mash.

Baptist Minister Resigns

Rev. W. M. Ballenger, pastor of the Baptist Church, has resigned and expects to leave Hopkins at the close of the present church year, having three more Sundays. He has several places in view but has not decided definitely what place he will accept.

GIANTS WIN LAST
AND TAKE SERIESHOYT FAILS IN ATTEMPT TO WIN
THIRD VICTORY.

IS CLOSEST GAME, 1-0

Nehf Holds Slugging Yankees to Four
Hits—Latter's Error Costly—
Ruth Not in Game.

New York, Oct. 13.—The New York National league team won the world series today in the closest game of the series. The score was 1 to 0. The score was made in the first inning on an error of the Yanks.

Hoyt, the Boy Scout pitcher of the Yanks, for the first time in the series was defeated by Nehf, the south paw pitcher of the Giants. The game, as the score indicates, was a hard fought battle all the way through, and, like most of the other games in this series a pitchers' battle from start to finish.

The world series this year was the closest fought series for a number of years and the scores were very close, except in the third game when the Giants made a break and scored 8 runs in one inning. Babe Ruth, premier batter of the Yanks and Home Run King, was unable to play today on account of an abscess on his arm.

The box score was as follows:

R. H. E.
Giants 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 6 0
Yanks 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 1

Batteries—New York Nationals, Nehf and Snyder, New York Americans: Hoyt and Schang.

Umpires—Chill, American, at plate; Rigger, National, at first; Moriarity, American, at second; Quigley, National at third.

BODY OF ANOTHER SOLDIER
HAS ARRIVED AT HOBOKENFrancis Murrell Johnston, Killed in the
Argonne, Will Be Honored With
Ceremonies at Quitman.

Mrs. Gus Johnston of Quitman has received word that the body of her son, Francis Murrell Johnston, has arrived in Hoboken, New Jersey, and will be shipped to Quitman for burial. Funeral services will be held in Quitman and interment will be in the cemetery at Burlington Junction.

Johnston was killed in action in the battle of the Argonne on November 4, 1918, at the age of twenty-six years. Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife, who lives in St. Joseph, five brothers, Ed M., Carl, Harland, Will and Howard Johnston, all living in and near Quitman, and three sisters, Mrs. L. D. Young, Quitman, Mrs. Ida Roberd, Washington, D. C., and Mrs. O. W. Elarton of Salda, Colo.

MEETING OF S. T. C. ALUMNI
IS HELD THIS AFTERNOONWill Send Delegates to St. Louis,
Select Pins and Check Up On
Missing Fellows

At the close of the general session this afternoon the Alumni Association of the Northwest Teachers College will meet for a business session. Lucile Holmes, president of the organization will call the meeting to order and present the important business matters.

President Lamkin of the College will give the address of welcome to the visiting members.

Among the other business matters to be taken up will be the selection of four delegates to attend the state convention of College Alumni, which will be held at the Hotel Statler, in St. Louis on November 3. The degree students will also take up the matter of selecting pins.

Another matter of importance is the proposal to secure the records of every alumnus of the College. The alumni number over 1900 and out of this number there are sixty-seven whose present whereabouts or addresses are unknown to the organization. An effort will be made at the meeting this afternoon to secure their present addresses, so the Association may get in touch with them.

R. E. Thomas and grandson, Robert Gallagher, are in St. Joseph today attending a sale of fine hogs.

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THE WEATHER

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By Mail, outside the State of Missouri, per year, \$4.00LARGEST CIRCULATION
IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Forumettes

"Is There a Hell?" was a minister's sermon a few Sundays ago. "Ask any Maryville married man," remarked our bachelor friend.

We saw some cranberries in the stores the other day and one of our printer friends wants to know if they can be used in home brew.

The flappers who wore low shoes all summer now find their ankles slightly larger and are wearing tight bandages on them at night to take off some of the circumference, according to what we overheard one say the other day.

Uncle Abner says the reason so many people do not get ahead is because they save for a rainy day and mistake a slight drizzle for a torrential downpour.

We would like to know how many of the advocates of world peace would be willing to take any steps for peace at home.

We will wager that a good many men who are worrying about that beer bill at Washington are the ones who once were worrying about bills for beer.

It was not so long ago that every man carried a little pocketbook for his change. Now Maryville dealers tell us the average man only carries a bill fold and checks the loose change in his pocket. That is if he has any.

Now that ministers have given up wearing linen ties and hard boiled shirts they look about like any other ordinary human.

A man residing on East First street, went home the other evening and found supper not ready. He stormed and said he was going to the restaurant. His wife asked him to wait five minutes. "Will it be ready then?" he asked. "No," she replied, "but then I will go with you."

What the neighbors say are frequently the hardest things to hear.

Bad weather is often a blessing in disguise. If we didn't have it some people would have nothing to talk about.

MOUNT TABOR SCHOOL HAS COMMUNITY MEETING.

A general community meeting of the patrons of the Mount Tabor district was held at the school house last Tuesday night. The students of the school under the direction of their teacher, Miss Blanch Erickson, gave a most interesting program during the evening. The first part of the program was given over to vitalized agriculture work, and the latter part to observing Columbus Day. The vitalized program consisted of two papers on "How to Can Tomatoes" by Mildred Carlson and Susie Wilson; "The Mitre Box" by Bennie Wilson; "The Crop Survey" by Samuel Adams, a composition on a field trip by Tama Carlson, and a discussion of weeds by Bennie Wilson, Melvin Adams and Margaret Adams.

There were sixty-one patrons of the school present and after the program they decided to organize a community club to co-operate with the activities of the school and to promote closer relationship among patrons of the district. The Mount Tabor Literary Society was chosen as the name of the club and the following officers were elected: president, Stewart Williamson, vice-president, Roy Pruitt, secretary, Mrs. Vernon Riggle. A program committee composed of Mrs. Edgar Carlson, Mrs. Roy Pruitt, Blanche Erickson and Fred Snodderly and a question committee composed of Vernon Riggle, Edgar Carlson, Leonard Yule were appointed. The first meeting of the newly organized club will be held on November 8th.

Wiener Roast.

A number of young people, chaperoned by Miss Katherine Carpenter, Miss Anna Bainum, Ralph Wray and Chester Lyle, enjoyed a wiener roast at the Tourist Park Wednesday evening. In the party were Misses Glee Hukill, Margaret Louise Hosmer, Louise Peery, Grace Holliday, Laura Margaret Raines, Leta Claire Landfather, Charline Pixler, Alma Appleby, Mary Holt, Evelyn Raines, Hazel Pugh, Virginia Burris, Esther Gile, Pauline Eckert, Frances Shurbon, and Harold O'Banion, Frank Mapel, Ralph Wilson, Eversole, Joe Burris, Paul Blagg, Ernest Ellis, Simeon Wright, Harold Rodolfsen, Carlos Yehle, Harold E. Ton, Harold Wray, Maurice Chock, Donald Davenport, Ellis Meek and Arthur Garrett.

Graham Downs Skidmore.

The Graham high school defeated the Skidmore high school 32 to 29 in a close and hard fought basketball game at Graham yesterday. After the game a reception in honor of the visiting team was held at the Graham high school building. As this is the first of the season, both teams have hopes of romping on the other in the return game.

Gets Vocational Training.

Edwin "Bud" Wightman of Bethany has received notice that his application for vocational training has been granted. "He will enter the State Teachers College at Maryville on December 3, where he will remain for one year, and then will take a three-year course in journalism at the Missouri State University at Columbia," Bethany Republican.

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PARALYTIC STROKE PROVES FATAL TO SENATOR KNOX

Senator From Pennsylvania and Former Secretary of State Dies.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Senator Philander Knox's death is mourned by the national capital today. It is tentatively planned to hold funeral services here tomorrow with members of the senate foreign relations committee as pallbearers. Following the services the body will be taken to Valley Forge Pa., for burial.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, formerly secretary of state, died at his home here last night after a stroke of paralysis.

Mr. Knox was on his way to the dining room at 6:15 o'clock when he suffered the stroke. He died fifteen minutes later without regaining consciousness.

Senator and Mrs. Knox returned from New England only yesterday, where they had spent a vacation during the recess of congress, touring by automobile. The trip seemed to have benefited the senator and he had given no indications of failing health.

Mrs. Knox and the senator's secretary, W. F. Martin, were near the senator when he was stricken, and summoned aid, but it was futile.

Philander C. Knox was attorney general in the cabinets of Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt, secretary of state in the cabinet of President Taft and in the interim between those two offices, and afterward was United States senator.

Mr. Knox was born at Brownville, Pa., on May 6, 1853.

Marvin Westfall went to Kansas City this morning for a few days.

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UNEMPLOYMENT CONFERENCE FAILS TO AGREE ON REMEDY

Labor Members Will Submit Minority Report With That of Committee On Manufacturing

Washington, Oct. 13.—Without attempting to reconcile the divergent views of the manufacturing and labor interests, our causes of unemployment and the present economic depression, the unemployment conference finally adjourned at noon today.

Washington, Oct. 12.—The national unemployment conference is split upon widely divergent lines today in reports dealing with economic depression and suggested remedies.

The committee on manufacturing recommended the abolition of the railway labor board and the transfer of its powers to the interstate commerce commission. They also recommended the repeal of the Adamson law and the settlement of the government obligations to the railways.

The labor members of the committee headed by Samuel Gompers refused to subscribe to the report and will submit a minority report.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD FOR LEWIS RODERICK.

Funeral services for Lewis Roderick, who died yesterday morning at the county farm, were held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Doc Seals, on East Cooper street. The Rev. J. A. Cooper of the First Baptist church was in charge of the services, and interment was in Oak Hill cemetery. Mr. Roderick had been in poor health for a year. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Seals of this city and a daughter living in Texas, and three sons, Cecil, David and Ben Roderick.

Mrs. Henry Westfall left this morning for Fort Scott, Kan., to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Joel.

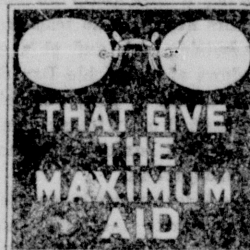
ASSEMBLY FORECASTS THE OUTCOME OF TARKIO GAME

Maryville High School Misses Transform Themselves Into Gaidian Warriors for Pep Stunt

Maryville High School's football team were the guests of honor at an assembly held in the new gymnasium yesterday afternoon, when the Maryville-Tarkio game of next Saturday was staged in miniature. Five girls, clad in the battle togs of their girdle heroes, were the Maryville team, while four boys composed the Tarkio team. The game, of course, was an overwhelming victory for Maryville.

The girls who took part were Charlene Pixler, Mary Holt, Laura Margaret Raines, Evelyn Raines and Treava Phipps. The boys were Donald Alex, John Mountjoy Roy Woods and Ellis Meek, who was referee.

The Rev. Joseph Cooper made a snappy talk on football, training and school spirit. A number of students of the State Teachers' College attended the assembly.



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Optometrists
Maryville, Mo.

BELLOWS BROS., WIN AT STOCK SHOW AT SNI-A-BAR

First and Fourth in the Junior Class and Second in the Junior Yearling Class

Bellows Bros., of Maryville won first in the junior class with Supreme Magnol in the Shorthorn show held at Sni-a-Bar Farms at Grain Valley, Mo., yesterday. It was the third annual field show of the American Shorthorn Breeders association—the only show of

it kind in the country. Bellows Bros., also took second on Sultan Type in the Junior Yearling class. They won fourth on Supreme Archer in the junior class.

TO HOLD MARKET SATURDAY FOR CHRISTIAN HOME BENEFIT

The members of the Highland Club will hold a market Saturday at Wray's hardware store for the benefit of the Christian Home at Omaha. There will be country cooking.

Do You Want a Good Job?

I want a representative for this and surrounding counties and if you can qualify, I can put you in a position where you are bound to make good.

Ask for Mr. Heywood, Linville Hotel.

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If you have a Fourth Liberty Bond you'll be collecting interest on October 15th—there's a coupon to be clipped on that day. Don't you want to make that interest earn more? Just transfer it to an interest bearing account here and let it earn 4 per cent to add to your "Safety Fund."

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Great Lakes String Quartet

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under the auspices of the Oxford Class, which is presenting to the Maryville public a high class lyceum course of five numbers. The other four numbers of the course are as follows:

The Westhall Male Quartet, Nov. 12; the Orchestral Entertainers, Dec. 10; Knoflickova and assisting artists, Dec. 22; George C. Aydelott (Lecture), Jan. 17.

Season tickets may be obtained at the banks, high school, or State Teachers College, or from members of the Oxford class. Season tickets: Adults, \$2.00; students, \$1.00. Single admission, \$1.00.

The program will begin at 8:30 p. m. instead of 8:15 p. m. as previously announced. The church doors will open at 8 o'clock.

GET YOUR TICKETS TODAY!



Butter is high and getting higher. Creamo still sells for 28c, 2 lbs for... 55c

New pack sliced Hawaiian pineapple, No. 2 cans... 24c

New black walnuts, pkg for 35c 6 lbs for... 25c

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We sell only the BEST RED RIVER OHIOES, the kind that cook white and mealy. We are taking great many orders now for later delivery at \$1.45 per bu., for sorted screened graded No. 1, sacked in two bu. sacks.

Give us your order now and get the potatoes any week until Nov. 20.

Sweet potatoes, home grown, 7 lbs... 25c

First class Bananas, lb... 10c

3 loaves bread... 25c

Gold Dust, Rub No More, Sea Foam or Star Naptha washing powder... 4c

Karo Syrup, gal. pails... 48c

1/2 gal pails... 25c

Small cans... 10c

Ohio white clover honey, large frames, will filled... 40c

Gallon cans Washington Logan Berries... 85c

Gallon cans Washington Blackberries... 90c

No. 2 cans Washington Blackberries... 20c

Gallon cans pure apple butter... 85c

50lb cans pure lard, per lb 12c

New Dates (Dromedary)... 20c

Fresh corn meal, 10lb sack 22c

Graham flour, 10lb sack... 50c

Roman meal (the nut brown breakfast food)... 35c pkg.

Shelled walnuts, Almonds, Pecans and salted peanuts, new arrival, fresh goods... 25c to 45c.

Crisco, can... 20c, 29c, 57c \$1.12

Calif. Peach Jam, small cans, fine quality... 10c

Pie Nix Hams, per lb... 15c

Morrell's Hams, per lb... 25c

Log Cabin Syrup 31c, 59c and \$1.17 per can.

Virginia Sweet pan cake flour (none better) 2 pkgs... 25c

Virginia Sweet pan cake flour, 50c large pkgs. for... 35c

5 bars Joy soap... 20c

2 bars P. & G. Soap... 13c

Big line cotton and kersey mits and gloves... 10c and up

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24lb sack any brand of flour at... 95c

Jonathan or Ben Davis apples per bushel... \$2.50

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33x4 non-skid fabric, tube free... \$27.00

32x4 cord, non-skid, tube free... \$38.75

34x4 1/2 cord, non-skid, tube free... \$45.90

—Other sizes in proportion.

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Social Gossip and Clubs

Miss Hazel Porter Weds.

Word has been received of the marriage of Miss Hazel Porter, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Porter, living near Pickering, and Winfred Hill, which took place Tuesday, October 11, in The Dalles, Ore. After October 17 Mr. Hill and his bride will be at home in Anacortes, Wash., where the former is manager of the J. C. Penney store. Mrs. Hill is a sister of Mrs. Hugh Strong of Maryville, and for several years was an employee of the Yehle Dry Goods Company.

Surprise Mrs. Croy.

A small number of relatives and friends of Mrs. C. D. Croy surprised her yesterday at her home, 721 North Mulberry street, in observance of her birthday. The guests brought a basket dinner which was served at noon. Those present were Mrs. S. F. Davis, Mrs. Ben Bailey, Miss Elizabeth Sawyers, Mrs. Vesta Sheridan and Mrs. A. F. Croy.

McDonald Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, 318 South Mulberry Street, were hosts at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening, entertaining several of the members of the Farmers Union who were here to attend the state convention. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bagby, J. E. Strickler, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Cottrell, C. M. Cottrell, and Mr. and Mrs. George T. Smith and daughter, Miss Atwell Smith all of Skidmore.

Surprise Birthday Dinner

Mrs. L. E. Ziegler entertained with a surprise dinner party Tuesday evening at her home on West First Street, to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mr. Ziegler. A four-course dinner was served at 7 o'clock and covers were laid for the Rev. Joseph A. Cooper, Dr. Karl Malotte, Dr. Jesse Miller, Jr., H. O. Esell, D. W. Burford, and the guests of honor.

Birthday Dinner

A party of relatives and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sloan and Mrs. Huse Honaker at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sloan on the occasion of their birthdays. The visitors brought well filled baskets and dinner was served at noon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Will Calfee, Mrs. James McKnight of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Sloan, Mrs. Sarah Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Huse Honaker, Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, Misses Lora, Pauline, Ruth, Ruby, and Mary Sloan, Zella and Clara Hamilton, Roberta, Velma and Mary Calfee, Novella Honaker, Lola Baker and Joseph Sloan, Virgil Calfee, Roy, Willis, Ervin, Frank and Wendell Calfee, Willard Lewis, George Frederick Hamilton, Roy, Henry and George Rogers, Kenneth Sloan, William Baker and Joe Sloan.

Organize Successful Club.

Several of the women in the neighborhood southwest of Maryville met Wednesday afternoon at "Hill Crest," the home of Mrs. Vida James, and organized the Successful Club. By unanimous vote each woman present chose one new member for the club. These officers were elected: Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer, president; Mrs. Fannie Peters, vice president; Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Vida James, news reporter. The house was decorated in garden flowers and autumn leaves, and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Phoebe Linville. The club will meet once a month on the second Thursday afternoon, and the next meeting will be November 10 with Mrs. Phoebe Linville. Those present at the meeting yesterday were Mrs. Phoebe Linville, Mrs. Fannie Peters, Mrs. Lottie Peters, Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell, Mrs. Mary Linville, Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer and the hostess.

Mrs. Hamblin Entertains

Mrs. Rodney F. Hamblin entertained with a six-hand euchre party yesterday afternoon at her home on Lawn Avenue. The game prize was awarded Mrs. Henry A. Foster and Mrs. T. L. Wadley received the favor for lone hands. Autumn flowers and leaves were used in decorating the receiving rooms and the luncheon appointments were in the fall colors. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. Emory Airy, Miss Gertrude Strickler and Miss Mae Mahoney.

The guest list included Mrs. W. C. Pierce, Mrs. Margaret Pierce, Mrs. W. F. Chaves of Dodge City, Kas., Mrs. Emory Airy, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. Kyle Phares, Mrs. Edward Gray, Mrs. Mary A. Phares, Mrs. W. F. Phares, Mrs. Elmer Fraser, Mrs. J. B. Brewer of Okmulgee, Okla., Mrs. Guy Mutz, Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. John Herren, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Mrs. O. K. Bevard, Mrs. M. L. Beattie, Mrs. A. B. Allen, Mrs. Charles Wadley, Mrs. T. L. Wadley, Mrs. Hal Hooker, Mrs. C. D. Hooker, Mrs. Fred Bellows, Mrs. C. D. Bellows, Mrs. Fayette Bellows, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. N. Sturm, Miss Clara Sturm, Mrs. E. G. Orear, Mrs. E. F. Wolfert, Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Misses Lenore and Rosa Schumacher, Mrs. Conrad Yehle, Miss Lucile Davis, Mrs. T. H. Cook, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, Mrs. J. W. Toel, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Mrs. Emmett Scott, Mrs. H. A. Foster, Mrs. G. B. Baker, Mrs. Jesse Douglas, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. B. M. Chandler, Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. C. C. Corwin, Miss May Corwin, Mrs. James Conley, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, Mrs. C. D. Koch, Mrs. P. D. A. Duncan of Stewartville, Mrs. LeGrand Gann, Mrs. Virgil Keene, Mrs. Mattie McMullen, Mrs. Joseph Jackson and Mrs. Paul Beam of Kansas City.

Entertains I. I. Club Members

The Ireland Industrial Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. A. Guthrie by members of the Herron Homemaking Circle. The rooms of the Guthrie home were artistically decorated in autumn leaves. The following program was given:

Victrola music, "America," Pianologue, Mrs. Orb Griffey and Mrs. Harry Fisher. Original reading, Miss Mary Taylor. Dialog, "An Unsuccessful Advance," Mrs. Virgil Guthrie and Mrs. S. E. Fisher.

In several contests Mrs. Jos Cockayne, Mrs. Lee Winn, Mrs. Lon

Hughes, Mrs. Mayne Taylor and Mrs. John Deardorff won the prizes. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch concluded a delightful afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Ed Gingleich and son, Mrs. John Dear dorf, Mrs. Lee Winn, Mrs. Lon Hughes, Mrs. Andrew Fink, Mrs. Erice Hall, Mrs. Claude Shell and son, Mrs. John Halsey, Mrs. Joe Cockayne and son, Mrs. Orb Griffey, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. Harry Fisher, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. R. Neidel, Mrs. Dave Neidel, Mrs. Will Osborn, Mrs. George Coulter, Mrs. James Vert, Mrs. Delbert Vert, Mrs. L. E. Rogers, Mrs. J. K. Shades, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Esther Neidel, Mrs. John Griffey, Mrs. John Lockhart and Mrs. John Vert.

The next meeting of the Herron Homemaking Club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. L. E. Rogers.

Social Hour Club

For the first time since the organization of the Social Hour Club more than five years ago, every member was present at the meeting held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. P. Scott. Following the business meeting the program leaders, Mrs. Floyd Fakes and Mrs. Art Wilson, took charge of the meeting and an afternoon of fun followed. Mrs. Ernest Stafford won the prize for hitting a pancake with a ball the greatest number of times. Assisting in serving refreshments was the daughter of the hostess, Miss Hazel Scott. Those present were Mrs. Roy McMullen, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. Emmett Gray and daughter, Beulah, Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mrs. Denver Loch and son, Loran, Mrs. C. A. Loch, Miss Tressie King, Mrs. Art Wilson and daughter, Mar, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. Floyd Fakes, Mrs. Mert Morris, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Mrs. W. A. Spangler, Miss Edith Spangler, Mrs. Charles Fakes, Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Rich Spurgeon, and Mrs. Leslie Hanna and son, Lloyd. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Spangler on October 26 when Mrs. Charles Fakes and Mrs. Emmet Gray will be the program leaders.

Penelope Club.

At the meeting of the Penelope Club which was held at the home of Mrs. Ida Armstrong yesterday afternoon officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Mrs. J. M. Smith, president; Mrs. N. F. Hopper, vice president and Mrs. Louisa Catterson, secretary-treasurer. The retiring president, Mrs. J. F. Cook, gave a most interesting talk and Mrs. O. L. Holmes, the outgoing secretary-treasurer, gave her annual report. There were fourteen members present and Mrs. Nunally was a guest of the afternoon. Mrs. Ed Costello will be the next hostess in two weeks.

Slumber Party

The members of the T. N. D. Club will be entertained at a slumber party by Miss Laura Margaret Raines, tonight at her home on South Vine Street. Preceding the slumber party the club members will give a Dutch

treat line party at the Empire Theatre. Members of the club are Misses Louise Peery, Roberta Cook, Katherine Remus, Marie Chaudley, Mayne Grems, Margaret Louise Hosmer, Evaline Doffing and Leta Claire Land-father.

To Waffle Supper.

A Dutch treat party at the waffle supper to be given by the Women's Auxiliary at the First Baptist church tonight will include Misses Ora Mae Condon, Ruth Honechens, Mattie Price, Ruth Miller, Marie Cloud, Margaret Remus, Zoe McHenry, Ruth Cline, Dorothy DeMoss, Etta Trusty, Celeste Holten, Myrle Hankins, Julia Hankins, Mabel Raines, Evelyn Raines, Charlene Pixler, Gene Powell and Dorothy Rowley.

The Sunday school of the Methodist church at Wilcox will give a program at the church at 8 o'clock Saturday night. Following the program pie and coffee will be served in the basement of the church.



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MAY ALLISON in
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"THE SECRET OF THE
HILLS." Also two reel
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TONIGHT**

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**SECOND OF BABY CLINICS
WILL BE HELD TOMORROW**

Parents May Enter Babies in Contest
at Next Two Clinics—No
Fees are Charged.

The second of the free baby clinics will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Red Cross rooms. More entries are expected than in the contest in which a child's bed and mattress is offered to

the baby which makes the best showing during the next six months, as based on a schedule of points worked out by Mrs. Eva Hackney and a special committee. Tomorrow's clinic and one other will be the last opportunity for mothers to enter their babies in the contest, although they may still bring them to the clinics at any time.

At the clinics last Friday there were twelve babies and one child of pre-school age. Mrs. Hackney considered

this an excellent showing for the first clinic. There were babies from Skidmore, Burlington Junction and Wilcox. Dr. Vilas Martin was the examining physician.

The clinics are entirely free. There is no charge either for the advice of the county nurse or for the information and instruction given by the assisting doctors, who donate their services.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

"The Club"

Although The Club has been open for business but about nine weeks, business has thus far been much better than we anticipated.

THERE MUST BE A REASON.

Our pool tables are all brand new, made by the Brunswick-Balke-Colender Co., which is a guarantee of the best.

We use genuine ivorylene pocket balls, brand new cues and genuine ivory balls are furnished for call shot games.

The Club is located in a large, light and airy room and every effort is made to add to the service and comfort of its patrons.

We carry an excellent line of soft drinks, cigars and candies.

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COMEDY—

HAROLD LLOYD in "ALL ABOARD."

TOMORROW—Super feature, all-star production, "THE CALL OF YOUTH." Comedy, "Wedding Bells Out of Tune."

GENTRY COUNTIANS PROUD OF SCHOOL

THEY TAKE ADVANTAGE OF
THEM, TOO, SAYS SUPT.

MANY IN HIGH SCHOOLS

Consolidate Number 1 Claims Largest Enrollment of Any Rural School in This Section

Gentry County people are proud of their schools and wide awake to the advantages they offer, according to Earl C. Duncan, superintendent of Gentry County Schools, who is here for the teachers' meeting. The enrollment in the high schools of the county jumped this year from 500 to 600, and there are more members of the freshman classes this fall than there were eighth grade graduates this spring.

The county has 136 teachers, and about 100 of them will attend the teachers' meeting, says the superintendent. Mr. Duncan himself is a former student of the State Teachers College and the University of Missouri. He was elected county superintendent in 1919.

The Gentry County Teachers have more than a 100 per cent enrollment in the Missouri State Teachers Association. There are only 136 teachers in the county, while there are 151 members of the state association. The explanation is that a number of students of Palmer College have become members of the association and several school board members have also joined. It is the third consecutive year that their enrollment has been more than 100 per cent.

The county has seventy-one rural schools, almost half of which this year will be approved. There are seven high schools, at least one of them easily accessible to students in every township except two.

One of the high schools is a consolidated school, strictly rural, which opened this year with an enrollment of fifty. It is known as Consolidated School Number 1. It is almost equidistant from Albany, King City, Pattersonburg and Maysville, having a rural territory with a radius of about fifteen miles. The nearest railroad is at McFall, six miles away.

The school is being conducted now in what will later become the "teachery." The patrons have voted bonds and have \$20,500 with which they will build a modern building on ten acres of Gentry County's best land. The contract will be let soon. When the building is completed, the teacher will occupy the residence where classes are now being held.

Consolidated District Number 1 is the largest strictly rural high school in Northwest Missouri. It now offers a three year course, which will be extended next year to four years. It will then be a fully accredited first class high school.

When the new building is completed the smaller schools will be closed and the pupils will be transported to the central schools in wagons. Two other schools in the county already transport their pupils. Four wagons are used at Darlington and six at McFall.

McFall also has a consolidated school and is also building a new building, which will be completed about December 1. That the transportation of rural pupils is not an excessive burden to the taxpayer was demonstrated at this school last year, when the school levy was only \$1.30, which was lower than the levy of any other first class high school in the county.

That the boys and girls of the farmer are beginning to appreciate the opportunity offered them for a high school education is demonstrated in the enrollment figures. There were 226 eighth grade graduates this spring and 227 enrolled as freshmen in the various high schools this fall. Some of the latter, of course, are students who failed last year, while others have enrolled from outside the county.

OVERCOME ALL OBSTACLES TO GAIN LEARNING'S PRIZE

DeKalb County Superintendent Has Inspiring Story of Fight for Consolidation.

Skidmore is not the only town in this district that is involved in a fight over a consolidated district, according to Mrs. Lou P. McAdam, county superintendent of schools of DeKalb County, who is in Maryville attending the fifth annual meeting of the Northwest District Teachers Association.

Mrs. McAdam is an ardent advocate of consolidation, at least in the instance she cites.

"Last year we voted a consolidated school at Fairport," she said, "it is district 35, or Consolidated District 1. The opposition took it to the Circuit Court, and we won every point. Then it was appealed to the Supreme Court.

"The present president of the board, being one of the opposition, has since refused absolutely to call a meeting or hire a teacher for the high school, and the people who wanted it had to go into their pockets and raise over a thousand dollars for a subscription school.

"Thirty-two pupils enrolled. They rented a building and are laboring under difficulties. But courage! It will be decided on by the Supreme Court in January. It will hold good, sure.

"But what I say is this: I. M. Turnage should be removed as president of that board. The district is consolidated until it is proved wrong by the court, and we should be going under consolidation on.

"I was up to visit that school last week and I found this motto: 'If you covet learning's prize, climb her heights and take it; in ourselves our honor lies—' 'Life is what we make it.'

"If you could have seen the dark, dingy room in which they were laboring—the only one they could rent—you would appreciate it more. It was in a high old frame building, up a long, narrow stairway, dark and dirty. But the faces of those thirty-two children I shall never forget.

Seated at two long narrow board tables, books on floor and in boxes. They were a brilliant group, too. It makes me think of Lowell's poem on William Lloyd Garrison: 'Oh, Small beginnings! Ye are great and strong. 'Based on a faithful heart and weariless brain! 'Ye build the future fair, ye conquer wrong. 'Ye earn the crown, and wear it not in vain!'"

Mrs. McAdam is one of several women county superintendents in this district. She was elected in 1919 after a strenuous campaign. She had had fifteen years as teacher in rural, grade and high schools. She was for five years in Central High School

at St. Joseph and taught for two years in the Kansas City schools. She holds state life certificates from Missouri and Colorado, and holds the degree of master of pedagogy from the State Teachers College at Greeley, Colorado.

Many of the schools under Mrs. McAdam's supervision serve hot lunch to the pupils at noon. Many of the children bring milk to school for lunch.

"It's good for the undernourished, as well as for all," says Mrs. McAdam.

SUPT. NEWTON CARTER LEADS MOVE FOR CONSOLIDATION.

E. Newton Carter, county superintendent of the schools of Harrison County, who is attending the meeting

WHY THAT LAME BACK?
That morning lameness—those sharp pains when bending or lifting, make work a burden and rest impossible. Don't be handicapped by a bad back—look to your kidneys. You will make no mistake by following this Maryville resident's example.

Mrs. J. F. Morton, West Fifth St., says: "I have often used Doan's Kidney Pills with great benefit and am glad to say these few words or praise for such an old reliable remedy. My back used to get lame and sore, caused by sharp pains which caught me in the small of my back. The action of my kidneys was irregular and made me feel weak and miserable. The few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills which I used not only brought great relief but completely cured me. Since then whenever I do not feel just right or my kidneys are not acting properly due to a cold I use a few Doan's and they always regulate the kidney action. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Morton had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

of the Northwest Teachers Association, is another school man who favors consolidation.

Mr. Carter was elected to the office of County superintendent over other candidates. Since his election, seven of the eight consolidated schools of the county have been organized, and Mr. Carter has fearlessly and energetically worked for them. Opposition was encountered, of course, and is yet present, but this did not deter him from giving his support to the establishment of better schools.

Mr. Carter is a man who had to work his way when a boy, and he knows what an advantage it is to a youth to get the best advantages of an education.

Three of these above named schools are now transporting. The opposition to consolidated schools, and better schools, is now dwindling, somewhat, and the outlook for good schools over this county is very promising, to say the least. In fact, they never were better; and much of this is due to the indefatigable efforts and courage of Mr. Carter, commendable qualities not too often found in public officers.

Mrs. William F. Chaves left yesterday afternoon for her home in Dodge City, Kan., after an extended visit in Maryville at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce.

FUNERAL SERVICES OF MRS. BRIGGS TOMORROW

The Rev. B. F. Cline Will Read the Episcopal Service—Burial in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mattie A. Briggs, who died Tuesday afternoon at the St. Francis Hospital, will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the family residence, 219 East Sixth Street. The Rev. B. F. Cline, pastor of the Buchanan Street

Methodist Church, will read the Episcopal service, Mrs. Briggs being a member of the Episcopal Church. Interment will be in Oak Hill Cemetery. The following named will serve as pallbearers: E. W. Keck, E. E. Williams, James Todd, George Robb Ellison, Paul Sisson and Jack Holt. Mrs. Mollie Lewis of St. Joseph, a piece of Mrs. Briggs, arrived in Maryville this noon to attend the funeral and a nephew, Prof. Robert L. Denning of St. Joseph, will come tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hepburn returned to their home near Hopkins today after a few days' visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Fred Davis and family.

WOMEN OF MIDDLE LIFE

A Dangerous Period Through Which Every Woman Must Pass

Practical Suggestions Given by the Women Whose Letters Follow



Afton, Tenn.—"I want other suffering women to know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. During the Change of Life I was in bed for eight months and had two good doctors treating me but they did me no good. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which I did, and in a short time I felt better. I had all kinds of bad spells, but they all left me. Now when I feel weak and nervous I take the Vegetable Compound and it always does me good. I wish all women would try it during the Change of Life for I know it will do them good. If you think it will induce some one to try the Vegetable Compound you may publish this letter."—Mrs. A. KELLER, Afton, Tenn.

Mrs. Mary Lister of Adrian, Mich., adds her testimony to the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to carry women safely through the Change of Life. She says:

"It is with pleasure that I write to you thanking you for what your wonderful medicine has done for me. I was passing through the Change of Life and had a displacement and weakness so that I could not stand on my feet and other annoying symptoms. A friend told me about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and the first bottle helped me, so I got more. It cured me and I am now doing my housework. Your medicine is certainly woman's friend and you may use this testimonial as you choose."—Mrs. MARY LISTER, 608 Frank Street, Adrian, Mich.

It is said that middle age is the most trying period in a woman's life, and owing to modern methods of living not one woman in a thousand passes through this perfectly natural change without experiencing very annoying symptoms.

Those smothering spells, the dreadful hot flashes that send the blood rushing to the head until it seems as though it would burst, and the faint feeling that follows, as if the heart were going to stop, those sinking or dizzy spells are all symptoms of a nervous condition, and indicate the need for a special medicine.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a root and herb medicine especially adapted to act upon the feminine system. It acts in such a manner as to build up the weakened nervous system and enables a woman to pass this trying period with the least possible annoying symptoms.

Women everywhere should remember that most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones—they are not caused by serious displacements or growths, although the symptoms may be the same, and that is why so many apparently serious ailments readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it acts as a natural restorative and often prevents serious troubles.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent to you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

F. P. Robinson & Co.'s

SALE OF

Mammoth Poland-Chinas

Tuesday, October 25, 1921

AT MARYVILLE, MO.

We will offer a great lot of Spring Boars and Gilts, that are the tops of 200 head. They are big, long, deep and wide, have heavy bone, strong feet, good backs, and are the real easy feeding kind.

F. P. Robinson & Co.

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS

ACCOUNT NOW!

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today.

Deposits of one dollar and upward received in our savings department.

Oldest Bank in the County.

Interest Paid Twice a Year.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

A Bank of Savings.

Maryville, Missouri



Studebaker

This is a Studebaker Year

We have been asked the question how we account for the tide of Studebaker popularity which has swept the country.

Among others, two fundamental causes explain it:

1. The outstanding cause is the value of Studebaker Cars, in quality, style, performance, durability, and price, demonstrated by the complete satisfaction and enthusiasm of nearly one-half million owners who know values.
2. The universal respect for and confidence in the integrity of the name STUDEBAKER which for seventy years has been the symbol of quality and fair dealing.

Crowning proof of the dependability of Studebaker cars is reflected in our diminishing business in service parts.

With approximately 116,000 more Studebaker cars in operation on September 1st, 1921, our parts business the first eight months of this year was 3% less than in the same period two years ago.

While our car manufacturing plants operated this year 41% ahead of last year, our service parts manufacturing plant has operated at from one-half to two-thirds of last year.

Studebaker Cars are standing up in service and staying out of repair shops, to a degree unexcelled, we believe, by any cars of whatever price.

The Studebaker Corporation of America.

A. R. ERSKINE, President

NEW PRICES OF STUDEBAKER CARS

f. o. b. factories, effective September 8th, 1921

Touring Cars and Roadsters:

Light-Six 3-Pass. Roadster	\$1125
Light-Six Touring Car	1150
Special-Six 2-Pass. Roadster	1585
Special-Six Touring Car	1635
Special-Six 4-Pass. Roadster	1635
Big-Six Touring Car	1985

Coupees and Sedans:

Light-Six 2-pass. Coupe-Roadster	\$1550
Light-Six 5-pass. Sedan	1850
Special-Six 4-pass. Coupe	2450
Special-Six 5-pass. Sedan	2550
Big-Six 4-pass. Coupe	2850
Big-Six 7-pass. Sedan	2950

ALL STUDEBAKER CARS ARE EQUIPPED WITH CORD TIRES

Westboro Auto Company

J. S. CALDWELL, Maryville Representative,
Martin Bldg., with Brumbaugh Battery and Electric Service.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Wants
THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants," one cent per word first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than 25c.

Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month 70c.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. 35-47

FOR SALE—Large line of used heaters, ranges and cook stoves. Case Furniture Exchange. A134f.

FOR SALE—Big spotted Poland-China male pigs. (March farrow) eligible to register in both the Standard and National records. From Henry Field's highest type of breeding. Good individuals. For information call at the premises, Cedar Summit, West end of 3rd street. Maryville or telephone D. Wallace, Hanamo 3346 or N. Sisson, Farmers 63. A304f.

FOR SALE—New head Chester-White hogs, hams and cures; Harvey type. T. M. C. Neff, mile north and half mile east of Burlington depot. 11-12*

FOR SALE—3 canaries, singers one female. 510 South Mulberry, Hanamo 4155. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Ford touring car at McMurtry garage. 11-13*

FOR SALE—Dry stove wood, \$5.00 per wagon box load. L. O. Kime, Farmers 38-21. 11-13*

FOR SALE—A child's white enamel bed, large size; sewing machine, good condition. Phone Hanamo 4184. 11-13*

FOR SALE—A six room house and lot at 522 South Market street. This is a bargain for a quick sale. For particulars, write R. L. Denning, 2634 Olive St., St. Joseph, Mo. S8-4f

FOR SALE—Soft wood, cord, \$6.50; mixed wood, hard and soft, cord, \$7.50. 128 cubic feet to cord, delivered. B. F. Mozingo, Hanamo 4509. S19-19*

FOR SALE—Dry oak cord wood, 4 feet long; \$9 delivered. Elmer Fraser. 294f

FOR SALE—pedigreed Duroc-Jersey hogs, \$20 and \$25 each, if taken soon. J. E. Williams & Son, Quitman, Mo. 7-2*

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, good condition. F. R. Marcell. 10-15*

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred S. C. White Leghorn roosters, \$1.00 each. Can deliver to Maryville. Phone through Ormsburg. Mrs. Burt K. Lewis, 10-19*

FOR SALE—Full blooded R. C. Rhode Island Red roosters, \$1.25 each. Mrs. L. L. Clary, Farmers 32-16. 10-15*

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs, February and March farrow. Dale Partridge. Farmers phone 28-12 Oct 10-4f

FOR SALE—A good sheep lined coat, lamb collar, worn only a few times. See Will Masters at Democrat-Forum office. O12-4f

FOR SALE—4 Duroc spring hogs, 9 miles west of Maryville. H. D. Morris, Quitman, Mo. 12-18*

FOR SALE—100 cords of good seasoned mixed wood, will deliver in Maryville for \$8.00 per cord. R. L. Rice, Pickering, Mo. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Wood shed, cheap. F. W. Baker, 418 W. 7th St. Hanamo 4421. 13-15*

FOR SALE—2nd hand typewriter in good condition. Elmer A. Holt. 13-15*

MISCELLANEOUS.

Will the party who took package of type from car, on the east side of square, return to Democrat-Forum. O11-4f

LOST—brown leather pocketbook, containing gold rosary and some change. Saturday night. Return to Democrat-Forum. 11-13

WHAT HAVE YOU? We buy, sell or trade. Dealer in furniture, stoves, rugs and implements, etc. Case Furniture Exchange. Hanamo 530, Farmers 510. J15-4f

RUGS AND CARPETS cleaned by the Hamilton Beach method. Electric Carpet Washing Co. Han. 611. J194f

WANTED—By middle aged woman Situation as house keeper. For old couple or widower. For particulars inquire at this office. 13-15

WANTED—To rent, 1/4 to 1/2 section can give reference and security. Cash or stocks lease. Must be reasonable. Address in care of this office. C31f

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—We the undersigned merchants of Arkoe, Mo., on account of the present financial situation, are compelled to adopt a cash system of business, effective Nov. 1, next. All persons indebted to us will please call and settle. Signed, D. W. Sumy, N. A. Laurence. 10-15*

WANTED—Man with team and wagon to husk corn. Hanamo 31. 12-14

FOR RENT—Six room house. Inquire 612 N. Mulberry Street. 12-14*

NOTICE A Ford touring car motor No. 226294, 1917 model, license No. 299883 belonging to Ora Turpen was stolen. If any one buys this car they will be liable to prosecution. If anyone sells for mortgage don't bite. Ora Turpen, Maryville, Mo. 14*

TRUCKING—of all kinds, will haul at any place at any time. Farmers 52 L. Pickering Bryan Hanna. 13-15*

FOUND—License No. D2116. Call at this office and pay for adv. 13-15

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, Oct. 13. — **CATTLE**—Receipts, 10,000.
— **HOGS**—Receipts, 30,000.
— **SHEEP**—Receipts, 10,000.

St. Louis, Oct. 13. — **CATTLE**—Receipts, 3,000.
— **HOGS**—Receipts, 8,000.
— **SHEEP**—Receipts, 1,500.

Kansas City, Oct. 13. — **CATTLE**—Receipts, 5,500.
— **HOGS**—Receipts, 4,000.
— **SHEEP**—Receipts, 8,000.

St. Joseph, Oct. 13. — **CATTLE**—Receipts, 1,500; strong, 10c higher.
— **HOGS**—Receipts, 4,000; top, \$8.60; 10c to 15c lower.
— **SHEEP**—Receipts, 5,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

Hens 18c
Springs 14c
Roosters 6c
Eggs per dozen 35c
Butterfat 37c
Ducks, per lb. 12c
Geese, per lb. 8c

STATE BOARD MAKES
APPOINTMENTS AT JEFF. CITY

Dr. Williams Re-elected At St. Joseph
(Clive C. Graves Chosen Steward)

Jefferson City, Mo., Oct. 13.—The bi-partisan state eleemosynary board, in session Tuesday night, re-elected superintendents of state hospitals for the insane at Fulton and St. Joseph. Dr. E. E. Brunner was elected superintendent of the Farmington hospital to succeed Dr. J. L. Eaton. Dr. M. H. Topping of Platt River, was selected for the superintendency of the colony for feeble minded at Marshall and Dr. J. W. Bruton of Springfield re-elected superintendent of the tuberculosis sanitarium at Mount Vernon.

Dr. M. O. Biggs is present superintendent of the hospital at Fulton and Dr. Porter E. Williams has charge of the St. Joseph institution. Charles C. Graves was named for steward at the St. Joseph hospital. No action was taken on the superintendency of the hospital at Nevada.

W. C. Pierce, a member of the board, returned last evening from Jefferson City. The appointment of Clive C. Graves as steward of State Hospital No. 2 was favorably acted on by the state board. Mr. Graves is a former resident of Maryville.

A marriage license was issued today to Ollie C. Redmond of Stanberry and Victoria Smith of Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Aldrich of Elmo, accompanied by their niece, Miss Anna Osborn, visited in Maryville today.

MR. TOMORROW
A mild, vegetable laxative to relieve Constipation and Biliousness and keep the digestive and eliminative functions active. Used for over 30 years.

Chips off the Old Block
MR. JUNIORS—Little M's
One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.

For Sale by
GAUGH & EVANS

TEACHERS' MEET
IS BIGGEST EVER

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when the weather and roads are bad and often the children cannot attend. The city attendance averages 78 6-7 while the rural average is 73 5-40.

"We must set a standard of goodness that will fit all schools. Set your respect high for the rural teacher, because she has the hardest job in the whole field of education."

"As a University Professor once said, 'Things are just backward; we should start teachers in the universities then place them in the city high schools and next in the city grades; then when they are thoroughly experienced put them in the rural schools.'"

"Don't vote to put the rural teachers pay lower than the city teachers because the rural teacher does the hardest work."

In closing, Miss Dunn said, "In the largest church in New York student volunteer campaign, had been started; young people pledged to give their life work to Foreign Missions. Why cannot we start a student volunteer movement for rural schools?"

President Lamkin's speech as the second number on the program was one of stirring interest to the visiting teachers as well as to the college students. The keynote of his message was the service which the teacher of the state can render Missouri by a firm stand and organized action in behalf of the two momentous movements: first, the adoption of a new state constitution, and second, the passing of the County Unit Bill.

"It is the high duty of teachers to keep in touch with these questions and when the new constitution is prepared, to see that it is adopted," President Lamkin said. "The idea of a new state constitution was fathered by the Missouri State Teachers Association. Although others had tried it, it did not take shape until the Teachers Association raised the money and conducted the campaign."

"The teachers asked for a new state constitution because the old one was fundamentally wrong. In 1875, when it was framed, it provided for a state board of education composed of four men, one of whom was the state superintendent of schools, while the other three were state officers who were elected for other uses or functions and were already overloaded with duties."

Fall Opening
Prices on
Stoves and
Furniture

14-inch splendid Windsor
18 inch Derby Windsor
16 inch Radiant Home
20 inch Illinois
16 inch Great Western
16 inch Floral Oak
14 inch Estate Oak
17 inch German Heater
Buck's Radiant Hard Coal Heater
Regal Peninsular Hard Coal Heater
Cortland Howe Ventilator
Several good wood stoves
6 hole Malleable Range
6 hole Estate Oak Range
6 hole Never Fail Range
6 hole Wonder Range
4 hole Majesty Range
6 hole Hot Blast
6 hole Stewart
6 hole Home Comfort
All kinds of Oil Heaters and oil cook stoves.
Electric Cook Stove.
Library Tables.
Dining Chairs.
Dining Tables.
Leather Rockers.
Kitchen Cabinets.
Kitchen Tables.
Dressers, Dressing Tables.
Chiffoniers.
Rugs, Iron Beds
Sewing Machines.
Mattresses.
Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs.

Case Furniture
Exchange

Han. 530. Farmers 310

President Lamkin gave several instances where, on account of too many other duties pressing for attention, this board of education settled important questions at meetings where but two members were present and work was done in a very few moments. The new constitution must provide for a real state board of education as cities do and the state superintendent must be selected according to his ability to fill this particular place and not for political reasons," he declared.

"Education costs, but ignorance costs more," said the speaker. "Under the present constitution there is a limit on the tax that you may levy on your own property to educate your own children. Because of newer inventions as the telephone and automobile, districts, towns, and counties are bound closer together and consequently are interested in the welfare of each other. There is no logical reason why one school district, with high valuation should have a low tax rate and a good school while the district adjoining must have a high tax rate on the low valuation in order to maintain an inferior school."

"Under the County Unit Bill, a board of education, chosen from various points in the county elects the county superintendent of schools. This bill also levies a flat tax on the property of the county, fixes a definite list of teachers, and grades their salaries according to their professional training and successful experience. The local board is left intact and has direct control of its property. The county board provides for high schools, \$24.00 at least for every child in Missouri. Thus the County Unit Bill provides for equality of tax and equality of educational opportunity."

President Lamkin refuted three proposed objections to this measure, which he says are results of either ignorance or prejudice. The first objection raised is that it will increase the taxes. If it does and efficiency is more largely increased the money is properly spent. But he says it won't increase taxes, but will equalize them. It will decrease the number of teachers employed and those better prepared may be secured, so the same money will be spent to better advantage.

The second objection is that it will take away from local boards the control of the school. This was answered with the argument that even so, it would not be an unmixing blessing. There are now about three times as many "bosses" as teachers anyway. That the best men would not be placed on this County Board was the third objection that was raised. President Lamkin says that school boards are held on a high plane in small districts and why will the county not do the same?

President Lamkin closed his remarks with a suggestion to the association that instead of the regular resolution of adjournment, a definite appropriation of some money that is left be made to definite committees and these committees be charged with

Benefit Market

The Women's Auxiliary to Seth Ray David Post No. 442 will give a market Saturday at the Montgomery Shoe store for the benefit of the V. F. W. Donations will be gratefully received.

DANCE

TONIGHT

AND FRIDAY NIGHT

W. O. W. HALL

Schumacher's Orchestra.

Keeps Your Stove Shining Bright

Gives a brilliant glossy shine that does not rub off or dust off—that lasts four times as long as any other.

Black Silk Stove Polish

is in a class by itself. It's more carefully made and made from better materials.

Try it on your parlor stove, your cook stove, or your gas range. If you don't find it better than any ever used, your hardware or grocery dealer is authorized to refund your money.

There's "A Shining Every Drop"

Get a Can TODAY

the duty of co-operating with other similar committees to carry out the wishes of Northwest Missouri regarding these measures. "We must carry the County Unit Bill or go out of business," he said.

In his opening remarks he gave the teachers a hearty welcome to S. T. C., which he said was organized and maintained to serve them. He spoke of the 60 per cent increase in enrollment of the College this year and of the \$200,000 Women's Dormitory which will be ready for use before the next teachers' meeting.

MANY ENJOY THE
WINDOW DISPLAYS

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ner. The guesses so far range from 500 to \$10,000,000. The contest is still open.

Schumacher's grocery had one window filled with fruit and vegetables and other good things to eat, attractively arranged. Another contained china and glass ware, the whole in a background of sumac and other autumn foliage.

The Townsend window, combined a display of a score of the first prize blue ribbons won by Nickel Plate, the famous saddle horse owned by F. M. Townsend, with pyramids of Nickel Plate coffee, produced and distributed by the Townsend Wholesale Grocery Company, and named after the prize-winning stallion. The ribbons dated back to 1903, and included a first prize award at the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden in New York.

The Raines Jewelry store emphasized the value of the Victor Victrola in the school room with desks arranged to represent the typical rural schoolroom.

The Kuehs store exhibited the latest fashions in jewelry on a Halloween background. The display caused many a look of envy to pass over the faces of both men and women.

Stapler's had an unusual display of meats in fine cuts. Spectators could hardly resist pure pork sausage when the full brother of the pig from which it was made was exhibited in the same window.

RAVENWOOD GIRLS HAVE
FAST BASKETBALL TEAM
The girls basketball team of Ravenwood High School defeated the girls team from Conception Junction last night by the one-sided score of 38-2. A previous game resulted 40-6 for the Ravenwood girls. The Ravenwood boys' team a week ago overwhelmed a team from Gentry by a score of 42-2.

Is Visiting Dr. Curl

Bishop Homer C. Stuntz of Omaha who will speak this evening at the

Teachers meeting is the guest today of Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Curl.

FATTY ARBUCKLE TRIAL
IS SET FOR NOVEMBER

San Francisco, Oct. 13.—Fatty Arbuckle goes to trial in superior court here November 7 on charge of manslaughter growing from the death of Virginia Rappe.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.



Do YOU wish to know how thousands and thousands of women have gone thru motherhood without knowing some of the pains and discomforts incident to childbirth? Listen to this:

Motherhood creates almost a new state of being for a woman.

As a result, new nerves, those heretofore restful and quiescent, spring into activity, they cry out, they tingle, they burn in their unrest.

The network of nerves across the abdomen, the loins, the back and other parts now become super-sensitive. All these nerves are being called on to perform unusual duties.

These nerves must be pacified and comforted; must be put in condition for the crisis that is pending.

If these nerves are not soothed and quieted, they may set up aggravated nerve tension, increasing in severity from month to month, sometimes even culminating in a nervous paralysis of the back and limbs. This leaves the mother-to-be in a condition where she is unable, fully, to meet the test when the climax of maternity arrives.

WARNING: Avoid using plain oils, greases and substitutes—they act only on the skin and may cause harm without doing good.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

Used by Expectant Mothers for Three Generations

BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.
Dept. 39, Atlanta, Ga.
Please send me without cost a copy of your booklet on MOTHERHOOD and The BABY.

Name.....
St., R. F. D.....
Town..... State.....

A Community
Problem

A news item in one of our papers recently contained the statement that Nodaway county had more homes on farms served by Central Station current than any county in the state except St. Louis County. Many of these homes are on our lines, which extend over many miles of Nodaway county.

Nothing would please us better than to serve more of these homes, not only for the selfish purpose of obtaining this additional business, but because we know that the indirect returns from the improvement to the farms themselves would make Nodaway county a more desirable farm community and that only as the farms are desirable and prosper will this community grow and prosper for on the producing power of these farms do we all depend, both farmer and merchant.

At present the cost of serving the farms is greater than the return obtained from this business, but new inventions will soon overcome this difficulty, and we trust that before long we will be able to offer this service to the farmer at a price that will interest him and at the same time give us a reasonable return and profit.

Maryville Electric Light
& Power Co.

Empire Theater Building
Maryville, Mo.

GROCERY PRICE LIST

For Friday
and Saturday

Fresh shipment Peanut Butter in bulk; bring your container, per lb. 15c

Fresh baked Fairy Soda crackers in 7lb cans, per lb. 15c

Apples, Jonathan or Seck No. Further, per bu. basket \$2.75

2 lbs Calif. Sweet Prunes 25c

Home or northern grown potatoes, per bu. \$1.45

Home grown sweet potatoes, 6 lbs 25c

6 bars large size Luna white laundry soap 25c

1092 Brand early June peas, per can 15c

Gal. can Golden Eagle Brand yellow free peaches, large fruit in syrup, fancy quality \$ 1.00

Lippincott's pure fruit Jelly, in glass tumblers 15c

Frontier Brand assorted flavor preserves, pure fruit, per glass 20c

Frontier Brand fancy red salmon, tall cans. 28c

Small Caroline milk, per can 5c

3lbs Soap Chips 50c

25 lb white cotton sack fine granulated sugar \$1.65

No. 2 size can Council Brand oven baked beans 10c

1/2 lb can Hirshey's Cocoa . 20c

25 oz. can K C baking powder 20c

10lb pail Bumble Bee crystal white syrup 60c

Large grape fruit, 2 for. . 25c

Michigan celery, per bunch 10c

Quart can Bumble Bee Kraut for 35c

Van Camp's chili con carne, 2 cans 25c

ABOUT THE TEACHERS

Supt. R. F. Wood of Pattonsburg is the only Pattonsburg teacher attending the convention. He says that his teachers were given the privilege of visiting other schools or attending the meeting here, and practically all of them decided to visit the city schools.

Among the superintendents of the consolidated schools are Supt. S. W. Skelton of New Point and Supt. C. W. Fore of the new consolidated district in Gentry County. The New Point school is well known over the district for its progressiveness and the new school which is headed by Mr. Fore bids fair to be one of the best in the state.

Harvey Watson, principal of the King City school is among those attending the convention. Watson says that practically all of the King City teachers decided to come to Maryville. His football team, he says played Savannah this week to a 14-14 tie, which speaks well for his team considering the size of the Savannah eleven.

Lowell Livengood, an alumnus of the Maryville S. T. C. who is superintendent at Elmo is here and reports a hundred per cent attendance of the teachers from his school. Livengood has 275 students and 11 teachers at Elmo.

Carl Bolse of Stanberry is here and states that the entire faculty came to Maryville this year. George Somerville and Will Utter headed the Hopkins delegation this year. Merlin Allison another former student of the college, who is a teaching at Rushville is among the registered delegates.

Supt. J. U. Crossan of Tarkio with his broad smile and old time handshake is here and can be seen mingling with the crowd, greeting his many acquaintances and talking shop. With the exception of one teacher, who is sick, the entire faculty of the Tarkio schools are here attending the convention.

Several of the County Superintendents of the district are already here. Among those who have registered so far are: D. D. Hooper of Andrew county, Mrs. Sallie V. Grebe of Atchison county, Mrs. Lou P. McAdam of DeKalb county, Earl C. Duncan of Gentry County, and Miss Edna Craven of Worth county.

The college cafeteria is doing a "land office business" today. At the lunch hour, a line of teachers over half the length of the building were patiently waiting their turn to carry off some of the tempting dishes advertised on the menu. It is mighty convenient for the visiting teachers to be able to get their lunch in the building.

And talking about busy people, Prof. C. A. Hawkins, secretary of the

association has more business than a bird dog. Great credit is due Mr. Hawkins for his untiring efforts in making this the most successful convention ever held here.

Supt. Myrtle McPherron of Martinsville, president of the association arrived here yesterday to assist with the completion of the final plans for the convention. Miss McPherron has been very successful in her work at Martinsville and has gained much favorable comment over the district.

Among the teachers' meet visitors is Cleo Richards, superintendent of Ravenwood, where a four year high school is maintained. As "Big Bill" Richards, the Ravenwood superintendent was a star on the football and basketball teams of the State Teachers College in 1917, 1918 and last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas and little daughter, Ruth Anna, are here for teachers' meeting. Mr. Thomas, who attended the State Teachers College last summer, is superintendent of the Grayson consolidated school in Clinton County. They are the guests of Mrs. Thomas' mother, Mrs. J. W. Everett.

Miss Gertrude Smith, a student in the State Teachers College during the summer term, arrived last night to attend the teachers' meeting. She is teaching at her home in Gower.

George W. Somerville, railroad secretary of the association said this afternoon that it looked doubtful that enough railroad certificates would be turned in to him to earn the half rate fare to the convention. It is necessary for the visiting teachers to secure these certificates at the time of the purchase of their tickets and turn them in to the railroad secretary. At least 350 must be turned in to get the reduced rate, and up to late this afternoon only 125 had been left at the transportation booth. Mr. Somerville stated that a great many of the teachers are coming in cars and a large number failed to get their certificates at the time of buying their tickets. But it does look like there should be 350 certificates turned in out of the thousand or more visiting teachers that have registered.

Miss Mary Ford left today for Des Moines, where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Longan.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

STORAGE.

For live cars.
For dead cars.
For household goods.
For what you have.



TO CLOSE SERVICES IN TIME FOR LYCEUM COURSE

May Hear Both Evangelist and Great Lakes Quartet—Four Additions Last Night

The four more received into the church last night makes forty-one added thus far in the revival at the First Christian church. The results are gratifying to all the workers and the reports from over the county are very encouraging.

The Barnard meeting, which began last Sunday, is progressing nicely with full house every night. In spite of the counter attractions in the city last night there was a large attendance at the revival here.

It is announced that the services tonight will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock and close in time for the lecture course number of the First Methodist church at 8:30 o'clock.

Dr. Kellems' sermon last night on "How May a Sinner Become a Christian and Where Is the Answer Found?" was scriptural throughout. The evangelist stated in part as follows:

"Most of the Bible is found in the Old Testament, there being thirty-nine books there and only twenty-seven in the New Testament, but the answer to our question of how may a sinner become a Christian cannot be found in the Old Testament. The Old Testament was not given to the world for that purpose. The Old Testament tells how a person could become a Jew to be admitted into the family of Abraham. It is simply a history of God in paving the way for the coming of Christ and when the will of Christ was given to the world the Old Testament law was

made of no effect or in the language of the Apostle 'was nailed to the cross.'

"The answer to our question can not be found in the first four books of the New Testament, as these are simply a synoptic history of the life of Christ. The will of Christ did not go into effect until his death. Therefore, the people who lived before the death of Christ were still under the rule of the old Mosaic law. It was the Holy Spirit's work to reveal the will of Christ to the world. Before Jesus ascended to the Father he promised the twelve Apostles that the Holy Spirit would come and guide them to all truth. They were commanded to remain in Jerusalem until endued with this power. This they did and on the great day of Pentecost after the Resurrection, the Holy Spirit came in fulfillment of that promise as recorded in the second chapter of Acts. The Apostles spoke as the Holy Spirit gave the utterance. So the sermon of the Apostle Peter on the Day of Pentecost was not his sermon but the Holy Spirit's message. That sermon was one of the greatest ever recorded because it was the first great Gospel sermon, revealing the way of Christ

to the world. It was a sermon of convicting power. As a result of it those guilty Jews were pricked in their hearts and were made to cry 'Men and brethren what shall we do?'

"This was the first time in the history of the world the question was asked and answered in the new dispensation and according to the revealed will of the Son of God. The answer is found in Acts 2:38, 'Repent and be baptised, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.'

"The Acts of the Apostles is the one book of the Bible that was given for the specific purpose of answering the question before us tonight. The other answers that are given in this book aside from the one just quoted, emphasize this one."

Frank Tebow sang at the services last night. Mr. Humbert will sing tonight and Dr. Kellems will take for his sermon subject a chart sermon on "The Five Kingdoms."

Mrs. H. E. Robinson, who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs.

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